# **BEARFACTS** 1992 – 2002 Woodson, Kansas [20207]

Woodson is one of 105 counties in Kansas. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2002 population of 3,597 ranked 79th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Woodson had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$18,445. This PCPI ranked 104th in the state and was 64 percent of the state average, \$28,980, and 60 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected a decrease of 2.1 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 0.9 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Woodson was \$14,967 and ranked 101st in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.9 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Woodson had a total personal income (TPI) of \$66,345\*. This TPI ranked 92nd in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Woodson was \$60,257\* and ranked 90th in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 6.0 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.3 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 1.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Woodson. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 46.2 percent of TPI (compared with 47.8 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 20.3 percent (compared with 25.8 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 33.5 percent (compared with 26.4 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings decreased 8.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 15.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.5 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 0.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 1.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.4 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Woodson decreased from \$29,887\* in 2001 to \$26,807\* in 2002, a decrease of 10.3 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.6 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$26,775\* to the 2002 estimate was 0.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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